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SUBJECT:U.S./ROMANIAN ENERGY COOPERATION

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1. CHESWORTH OF GENERAL ATOMIC HAS INFORMED ERDA THAT HE BELIEVES THAT THE ROMANIANS DO NOT FULLY UNDERSTAND THE U.S. POSITION WITH RESPECT TO NUCLEAR COOPERATION AND HAS REQUESTED THAT CLARIFICATION BE MADE. CHESWORTH NOTED THAT THE ROMANIANS ARE UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT,BECAUSE ERDA IS NOT PREPARED TO COOPERATE WITH ROMANIA IN HTGR'S, THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IS ALSO OPPOSED TO ANY INDUSTRY EXCHANGES IN THIS FIELD. HE NOTED THAT THE ROMANIANS APPARENTLY BELIEVE THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WOULD AUTO-
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MATICALLY BLOCK ANY PROGRAMS THAT GA MIGHT NEGOTIATE WITH ROMANIA IN THIS FIELD. HE ALSO SAID THAT THAT THIS ROMANIAN PERCEPTION MAY BE HAVING A NEGATIVE IMPACT UPON THEIR CONSIDERATION OF THE GA HOT CELL.

2. ALTHOUGH ERDA IS NOT WILLING TO PURSUE HTGR COOPERATION WITH THE GOR AT THIS TIME, INDUSTRY COOPERATION IS NOT

NECESSARILY PRECLUDED. PROPOSALS WOULD HAVE TO BE
EVALUATED ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS AND AUTHORIZED UNDER
10 CFR 810. ERDA'S DECISION AGAINST HTGR COOPERATION WITH
THE GOR SHOULD NOT BE LINKED TO POSSIBLE GENERAL ATOMIC
INITIATIVES WITH RESPECT TO EITHER HTGR COOPERATION OR
THE HOT CELL PURCHASE. WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ASSIST-
ANCE IN MAKING THIS POINT CLEAR TO THE GOR AND YOUR
EVALUATION OF THIS SITUATION.
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